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APPARATUS FOR HANDLING BUNDLES OF BOARDS AND A

SUPPORT BED FOR USE IN SUCH AN APPARATUS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 **December 28, 2004**

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Advisory Action dated December 7, 2004, the period of response having been extended two (2) months to December 28, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

The paper contains Claim Set as Amended and Remarks.